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August 21, 2007

Grady Cothen, Deputy Associate Administrator for Safety Standards and Program Development Federal Railroad Administration 1120 Vermont Ave., NW Washington DC 205990

Subject:

Docket Number FRA-2002-13967

Dear Mr. Cothen:

Reference your letter of August 10, 2007 concerning a joint bar exemption granted in 2002.

Please be advised we no longer need the exemption as we have replaced the rail in question with CWR.

Thank you for your letter and past consideration in this matter.

Sincerely,

Richard L. Keller Chief Engineer

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